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WISCONSIN STOCKMEN
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IN MAKING SUPPLIES

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Dec. 19.—Wisconsin stockmen are rejoicing over the emancipation of more than 66,000 square miles in nine southern states from cattle tick. The first day of December was "red letter" day, a decree of Secretary Houston for the release of this great territory from the clutch of the dreaded cattle tick, which has made shipments of improved stock into this territory impracticable and which has checked the south's usefulness in the national war commissary.

The decree, issued by the federal official, has released large areas of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma and Texas.

Wisconsin producers are especially interested in this change for the better, for since March 1, several thousand head of dairy cattle have been sent out of this state to the south and southwest, which were less well provided with foundation stock, with which to maintain the nation's maximum production of dairy products.

Many of the outside buyers, who have been coming to Wisconsin since the opening of the war, have been accompanied by county agents and state livestock officials. Local licensed vegetarians have done all they can in their testing and to date not a single complaint has been received from any of the sales.

Officials of the Wisconsin Livestock Breeders' association believe that as a means of quick sufficient valuable animals from centers having a surplus plus to sections having a scarcity and thus adding much to the food producing capacity of the country, this plan offers great possibilities.

Larks Not First Out.

Scientific investigation has ruined the lark's reputation for early rising. It has been demonstrated that there are many birds which are out before the larks.

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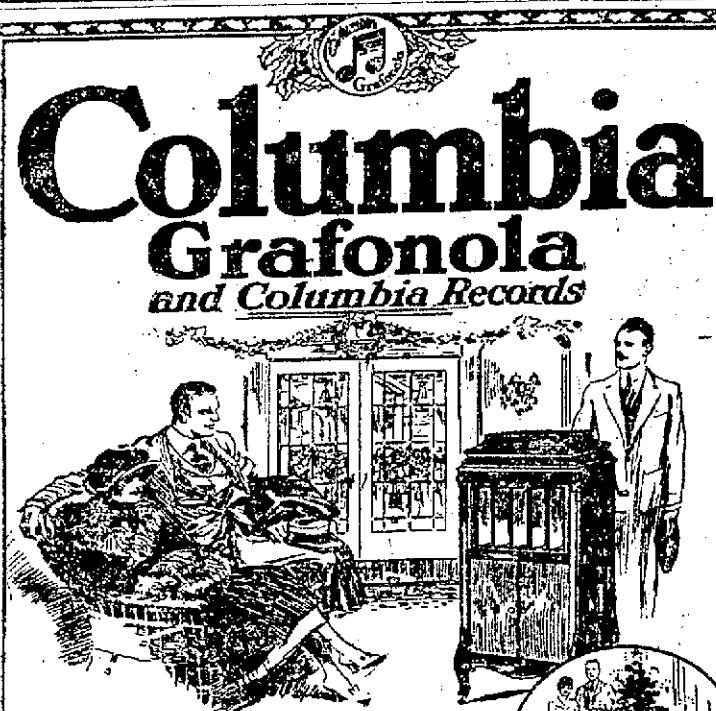
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138 W. MILWAUKEE ST.
Seller in Pianos of Superior Quality

Milton Junction

Milton, Dec. 19.—Up to the 15th of December there has been one hundred and seven thousand dollars paid out for barley at the local elevators.

Mrs. Herbert Stone of Rhinelander, Wis., is spending the day with Mrs. Fred Burdick.

Philip Winch was a business visitor in Madison Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hull returned Tuesday from their visit to Jackson Center, Ohio.

John Hennessy left Tuesday for Esterville, Iowa, to attend the funeral of his brother.

The South Side Country club held their annual dinner Tuesday at the R. L. Carey home.

Mrs. Emma Gilbert left Tuesday for Melrose for a visit with her sons, Ward and Zina Gilbert and families.

Mrs. A. M. Thorpe was a Janesville visitor Wednesday.

Miss H. H. Johnson is in Lima for a visit with her son and family.

Leo Stone and Fay Richardson are at the Mercy hospital where they underwent minor operations this morning.

Miss Lois Butts is home from her school at Stevens Point. They closed the school for a time on account of shortage of fuel.

Mrs. Anna Mills has closed her home here and gone to Beloit to spend the remainder of the winter.

Chas. Patterson of Des Moines, Iowa, came Monday evening for a visit with his father, J. E. Patterson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Shadel were Janesville shoppers Tuesday.

There was a large attendance at the play given by the Epworth League at Kelly's hall Tuesday evening.

The play was very pleasing and the young people who took part rendered their parts in an able manner.

In many instances the lack of good road connections with the railroads and main highways makes transportation of food and supplies a matter of considerable difficulty in bad weather.

Everyone is looking for bargains these days. The Gazette classified columns contain many of them.

Milton, Dec. 17.—Fred Carr left Monday morning for Waco, Texas, where he will visit his son Holden at Camp MacArthur and on his way home will visit his brother Joe Carr in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Chas. Taylor of Evansville is the guest of Mrs. John Simon.

Miss Daisy Hart of Beloit spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ditschoff.

Mrs. Fred Valentine of Gratiot came Monday to spend a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Wm. Gramzow Jr. spent Monday with Janesville friends.

Miss Ruby Agnew started work Monday morning as bookkeeper at the Fifeild and Halverson Lumber Yards.

Harry Wright spent the day Monday with his wife and son.

W. B. Paul and Jos. Van Etta left Monday for Rochester, Minn.

J. A. Hughes was a Janesville visitor Monday.

Blanche Mills resumed her studies at the Whitewater Normal Tuesday after a vacation caused by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Fish of Janesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rinehart.

Misses Margery and Frances Williams are in Janesville today to attend the funeral of their uncle, Allan Welch.

PORTER

Joe Mullowney, who has been employed in Janesville, is spending a couple of weeks at the E. M. Nalan home.

Miss Hazel Casy of Madison, spent the week-end at the home of her parents.

Miss Muriel Learn, who has spent the past two weeks at the F. J. Fesenden home, returned to her home in Hardware on Sunday.

Miss Agnes and Joe Mullowney spent Saturday evening at the D. Casey home.

Mrs. Arthur Green, who underwent an operation at the Mercy hospital in Janesville last Thursday, is reported to be getting along as well as can be expected. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Those from here who attended the benefit dance at C. W. McCarthy's Friday evening report a nice time.

Miss Con. Heaslip is visiting relatives in Kenosha.

Clayton Cox of Little Prairie spent the first part of the week at the J. W. Bates home.

Mrs. H. Green and Arthur, were Janesville visitors on Tuesday.

The teacher, Miss Marie Fox, and pupils of the Eagle district are preparing a Christmas tree and program to be given at the school house Monday evening, December 24th. Everyone is cordially invited.

Leslie Viney of Edgerton, spent Tuesday at the E. M. Nalan home.

SOUTH FULTON

South Fulton, Dec. 18.—There will be a Christmas program at the District No. 1 school house next Thursday night. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Bert Shuman, who has been threatened with pneumonia, is on the gain.

Misses Jessie and Eleanor Stark Sunday at the George Knott home. Franklin Clough returned Wednesday from a visit from Chicago and Elgin.

Advance Creamery started bottling milk last Monday.

Lester Thomson of Janesville, spent Friday at his parental home.

There will be an entertainment at the Four Corner school house next Friday evening. Everybody welcome.

FULTON

Fulton, Dec. 18.—Jas. Mullenback of Chicago while here two weeks ago negotiated the purchase of the John Thomson house and lot for a summer home.

Mrs. Arthur Green underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital, Janesville, on the 13th inst. Misses Christensen and Sweeney will be home for their homes on Friday afternoon for the holiday vacation. School will be closed for two weeks.

Miss Artie Atlesley of Janesville was home for Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Bleefson has been confined to the house with illness the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Post will leave for Howard, Wis., on Thursday, to be gone for one month. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Calvin West.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gardner Jr. wish a pleasant journey on their way to their new home. They left Wednesday, the 19th, for New Zealand to take up stock raising.

The American Red Cross Society requests contributions in the United States to pay their annual dues this week.

The officers of the Fulton branch would like every one of the ninety-five members to pay their dollar without waiting to be asked and get a new member if possible.

Social Center meeting for Friday night, Dec. 22d. A program will be given as follows: Topic, "Value of the Social Center from an Educational, Social and Practical Standpoint." Papers will be given by Mrs. Alice Mead, Miss Edith Raymond and D. F. Sayre Jr. A discussion will follow by those present. Come on and express your views.

The Red Cross meeting in the meeting room of the Red Cross meeting will be held at the close for election of officers.

Samuel Bentley came up from Chicago to spend the holidays with his family.

The Fulton Red Cross will give a chicken pie supper in the hall Friday evening, Dec. 24. Be sure and come and bring some one with you and get a good supper and help the Red Cross. Keep the date, Dec. 28, in mind.

The Fulton Sunday school will give their annual Christmas tree in the church Monday evening, Dec. 24.

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The last rehearsal of the children will be Sunday, Dec. 23d, afternoon service. Service on Christmas day, Dec. 25th, will be held in German at 10 a.m.

Everybody is welcome.

A box social Christmas tree and program will be held at the Pleasant

hill school District No. 7, Town of Plymouth, Friday evening, Dec. 21.

A prize will be given to the owner of the prettiest box. Everybody cordially invited to attend. Mary K. Fine, name.

Mrs. P. L. Chese more entertained the Larkin club Monday afternoon.

Miss Doris McCulloch and pupils

will give an entertainment and box

social at the Grange hall on Friday

evening, Dec. 21. Candy will be sold.

Entertainment will be followed by dancing.

All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Conroy visited at

Walter Little's of the town of Janes-

ville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bonall and family,

and Miss Mary Cunningham of Rock

Prarie, visited at William Conway's

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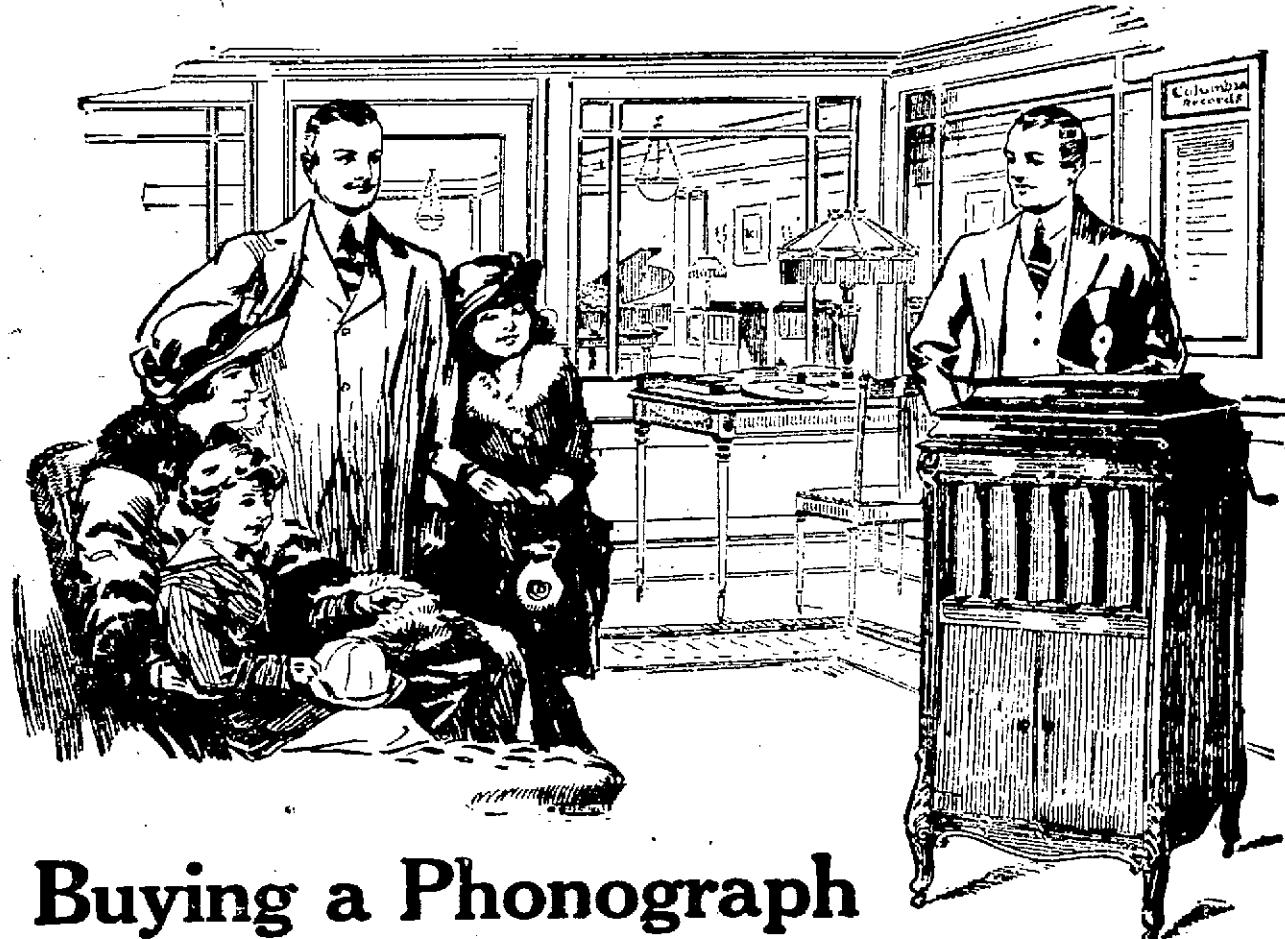
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ALL SERENE.

The Dodgeville Chronicle hit the nail on the head in their editorial quoted last night on "What is the Matter with Wisconsin?" but they might have gone a bit further and stated that the majority of the papers in the state have failed to attach enough significance to the requirements of the primary law and what results might accrue if it was evoked at this time with the view of electing a successor to the late Senator Paul Harting. It is all right to pledge allegiance, organize for the purpose of loyalty, but just as the woman said to the tramp, "That dog won't bite." To which the tramp replied: "You say he won't bite, I believe you. But how about the dog?" You could have all sorts of pledges of loyalty; they would swear away their heritage for a mess of pottage, just as Escud did, but like another old saw: "The devil was sick, the devil a Saint would be." The devil got well, the devil a bit was he." Just give the chance to some of these ambitious politicians and they would claim to be silly white to gain their ends. Under the primary the contest could not be limited to two or three men, but to anyone who could muster a sufficient number of signatures to be placed on the ballot. No, the governor is right, and as we said at Waco recently, he was perfectly willing to call a special election if but two men were to contest the nomination, but under the present law this could not be assured. Best give him the power of appointment and hold the regular election when the time comes. Meanwhile sit tight and do not be stampeded by the blabbering who shout to the world "Wisconsin is loyal." Our record shows we are, except for a few isolated cases of men in public life, and these we can attend to later here at home. Meanwhile all is serene except for the stray shots that the former and present La Follette henchmen fire at the governor. All this hue and cry has come from one element. The anti-Philipps citizens.

"Gone-by Waco, hello France!" will shortly be sung by the chorus of thirty odd thousand soldier voices who will leave their camp in the southland bound for somewhere "east of New York." The Nutcracker division is going to start soon. How soon no one knows, but soon. With them go our own boys who are serving in Company M, and are trained to the minute for one chance at "Old Fritz."

POOL ROOMS.
Some two to four hundred young men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-one have left Janesville within the past few months for service in the east armories that are being created. A few young men between these ages remain at home; they have been exempted from actual service or have not yet been called. The great bulk of younger manhood is under age, between sixteen and twenty-one, and there is no excuse that they be permitted to loaf about pool rooms, cigar stores, with card games as a main issue, and taught the useless art of becoming a first-class loafer and parasite on those left behind. The pool room proprietor who permits this class of citizens to develop, is just as criminal as the man who sells liquor to stupefy their brains later on. We are on the verge of a great fight for national prohibition that promises to place the United States in the dry column for good and all within the next seven years, and why not start right here at home and clean up some places that have already become noxious to the public. Are the authorities blind to conditions? If they are, they are the only class of citizens who are. They may get by with it for a while, but not for long, for sooner or later there is going to be a committee of citizens wait upon the officials and demand that many conditions be cleaned up right here at home and done so at once. We have an election next spring. Better have the city clean before that time is merely a suggestion. Taxpayers have as much right to demand obedience to the law as youths who have no registration cards have to annoy the law-abiding community. Let every citizen look the situation over with their own eyes, keep them open, keep your ears open and see what the result is. Form your own conclusions and the Gazette will be glad to publish your viewpoint in the "Voice of the People" column.

IN UNITY.
In unity there is strength. This is one reason why every parent who has a son, a brother, or a friend, fighting with the colors, should become a member of the Red Cross. What a wonderful army fifty million odd persons would make! One speaker, telling of his visit to an army cantonment, said: "There were seventeen thousand men there. A larger army than General Washington ever commanded."

Stop and consider that the battles for the American independence were won by men in homespun, fighting with the colors, whose bloody feet, tied in rags, left their trail on many a weary march. They had no Red Cross organization in those colonial days, but every wife and sister and mother of a loyal patriot knitted far into the night that they might have stockings. Scrapped tin for their wounds and played their part in winning that wonderful war.

Yet here in one cantonment are gathered more men than the colonial army, every man counted, ever mustered. Behind these soldier boys are the men and women of the United States. Men, who can not fight for age restrictions, and women, whose work is far more influential here at home than elsewhere, you can do your share by joining the Red Cross.

The money is not so much, but it is the spirit behind the dollar that does the work. It is patriotic duty that every man and woman owes and there should be no need for urging five thousand new members to affiliate themselves with those who joined at previous drives. Every member is

listed and their cards show to just what date they are paid to. Join this ever increasing army and be listed among the men and women who even at home are helping to win the war.

SKATING PONDS.

Because the older generation that skated, learned to do so on the river, managed to escape the all-holes and thin ice and came out alive, is no reason that the present generation should do likewise. Street Commissioner Goodman has an elaborate plan prepared for at least two skating places, for a limited number, that will be perfectly safe. It is unfortunate that the remainder of the city commission do not look at this matter in the right light and prepare during the summer months by laying a concrete foundation for more ponds in the city parks for winter use. Other cities look to the best interests of their younger citizens and play spots for winter and summer recreations are arranged for. Why not Janesville? Meanwhile we must do the best we can with the facilities afforded us. Thank Commissioner Goodman for his consideration and enjoy what is provided. But let us look into the future in time for next winter.

Work and play might be a fine caption for an editorial on school work. There is a limit to both, but when our school boys seek to evade school rules, scoff at their teachers, hiss them when they issue orders that displease them, it is time for Young America to learn that all this life is not play, and that work counts in the long run. Play when you play, but work when you work, and above all things study and prepare yourselves for the days to come when it is all work and no play.

The sugar trust heads blame Hoover for setting the price on sugar and at the same time convict themselves of having charged more than the product was really worth when the prices raised. They accuse another combination of seeking to take their business from them, and the good, long suffering public hope they will if it will reduce prices yet.

Even if that submarine peril is obviated, according to paper reports, still they manage to sink a lot of neutral shipping. How much longer Norway, Denmark and Sweden are going to stand for this is a question. However, if a few of Uncle Sam's destroyers visited the scene of their activities perhaps they would stop.

The work of the Associated Charities and the Elks and the other organizations that have charitable funds at their disposal, are going to be taxed to their limit this winter. However, everyone can help by setting an example and doing their bit toward conservation of food supplies for the benefit of the needy poor.

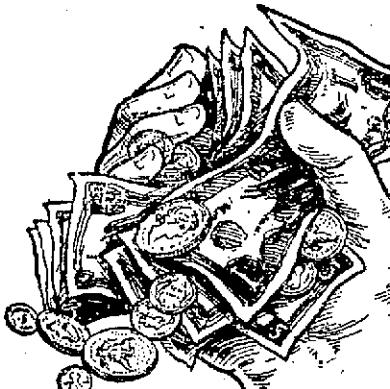
That clean-up in the federal offices down at Washington, particularly in the war department, could do no better than start at the secretary of war first, and the same is true of the navy. This is not a time for experiment, but one when men best fitted to the positions are called into service.

That railway situation still faces congress when it comes back from its Christmas holidays and by that time it will be a problem worth consider-

ation.

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Class 1 saves ... \$12.75	" 10 saves ... \$ 5.00
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The First National Bank
Janesville, Wisconsin

ing for during the interim the need for fuel and other commodities will have become even more stringent than at present.

Congress has decided that this nation shall vote on the question of prohibition within the next seven years. Six Wisconsin congressmen voted for the measure and five against. Now it is up to the people of the individual states.

We have fuel and food conservation officers here in Janesville. Why not suggest that restaurant keepers who violate the meatless and the wheat-free supplies? It is possible. Why

Legs Didn't Meet.

Dickie was out playing on a damp, cold morning dressed in a thin suit and short socks. Later he entered the house vainly trying to pull his little trouser leg down to reach his sock, and said to his mother: "Dickie's all warm, mamma, 'cept where his legs don't meet."

Swordmakers Rewarded.
Many of the kings of Spain accorded to the finest swordmakers of Toledo certain privileges, such as exemption from certain imposts and duties appertaining to the sale of swords, the purchase of iron and steel and other primary material.

The Weak Point.

A failure establishes only this, that our determination to succeed was not strong enough.—Bovee.

REHBERG'S

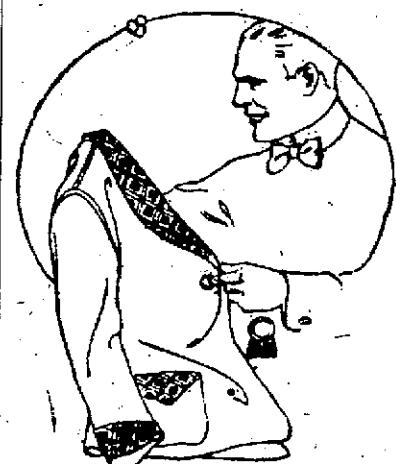
Gifts From Her to Him



Men's Mufflers

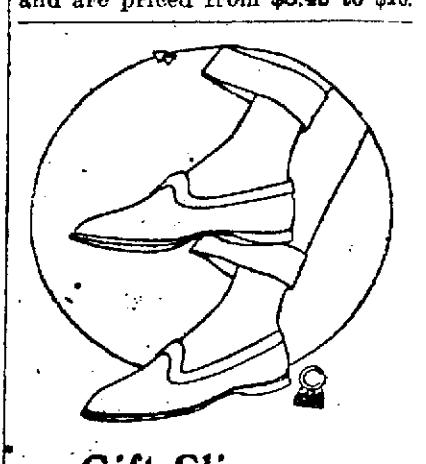
A display that would do justice to a store three times this size.

Every kind of muffler that would appeal to a man. Moderate in price, being from \$1.00 to \$4.00.



House Coats

You can search where you will, but you'll not find a better showing of Men's House Coats than at Rehberg's. A house coat makes a most acceptable gift and will be appreciated for its utility. Priced from \$4.95 to \$8.50.



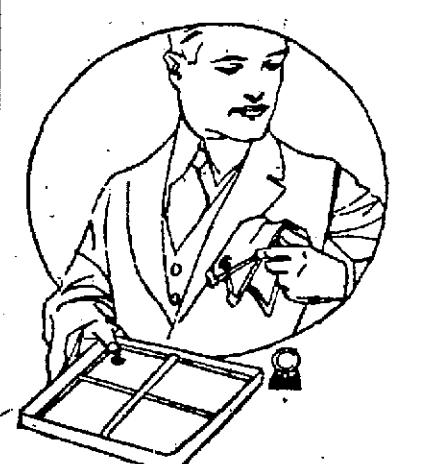
Gift Slippers

"If you are in doubt give slippers" is always good advice. Slippers are acceptable because they make for comfort and are used almost daily by the recipient. Men's slippers are shown here at \$1.15, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25.



Sweater Jackets

Can be used every day and pay big dividends to any man in comfort and satisfaction. Sweaters from the leading makers are shown in this Christmas stock. See this line before you buy. Priced at \$3.50 to \$8.00.



Handkerchiefs

Your choice of the best linens, initialed or uninitialed. Put up in fancy holiday boxes if you wish for gift giving. Big lines to choose from, priced at 15c, 25c, 50c and 60c each.



Neckwear

Neckties galore. Enough to gratify anyone's taste. You can surely satisfy your idea of neckwear here. We'll be glad to show you these distinctive ties. Priced at 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50 each.

Men's Shirts

Shirts of all kinds and sizes—easy to select here because they're displayed right in front of you. Silk shirts so popular as gifts, \$3.50 to \$8.50. Madras and Percale Shirts are priced at \$1.15 to \$3.50.



Evansville News

Evansville, Dec. 19.—For the months of January, February, March and

Join Our Christmas Banking Club

IT'S EASY TO ACCUMULATE \$12.75, \$25.00, \$50.00, \$63.75, or any amount that you wish to save through the year.

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Self Filler Screw Cap Fountain Pen \$1.50

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SUHERLAND'S

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A Christmas Suggestion

Why Not Give a Telephone?

It is a present that will not only be useful, but will give pleasure every time it is used.

Only FOUR more days before Christmas to decide.

Call up 1100 now and talk it over.

Rock County Telephone Co.

H. C. WILLITZ, Manager

Christmas Gift Suggestions

Perhaps you already have made out a complete list to take care of you Christmas shopping. Perhaps there are still certain gifts upon which you are in doubt. Or perhaps you have not had time to consider the subject very thoroughly.

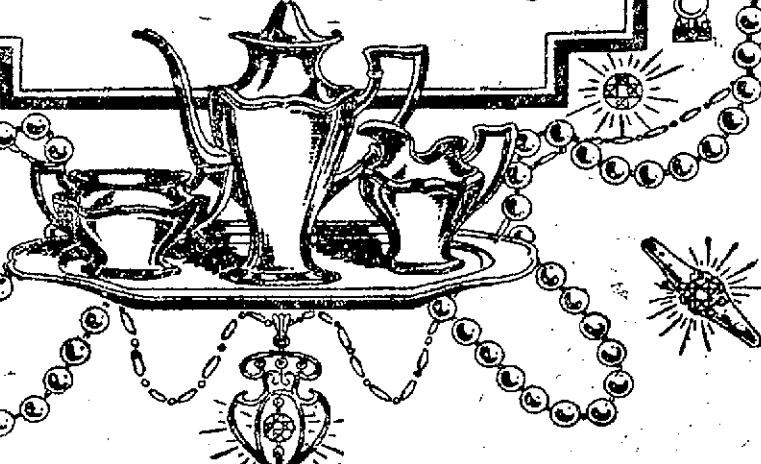
Jewelry always makes an acceptable gift for any person. We are always glad to offer suggestions. Whether the item purchased be for personal use or for use in the home you will find it very well represented in our complete and up-to-date stock.

Here Are A Few Concrete Suggestions:

Diamond Rings, \$10 to \$300.
Bracelet Watches, \$4 to \$30.
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Knitting Needles, \$2 and \$3 a pair
Cameo Brooches, \$3 to \$25.
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NO CUFFS ON TROUSERS! FANCY FAL-LALS DON'T GO IN WARTIME



Tailors announce that male trousers will have to get along without ruffs on them. What's more, there will be no other fancy flap doodles on your clothes this fall, because cloth is too scarce in war time to be using it recklessly. Most of us are pleased to hear of this.

News Notes from Movieland

BY DAISY DEAN

ern Fox studios in a new picture which is to be released a day or two before the beginning of 1918. The story is entitled "Stolen Honor." It was written by George Scarborough, the noted writer who is now entranced with the writing of many of the important Fox photoplays.

It is not so long ago he was playing the game himself at Ann Arbor, where he was interested in many forms of sport. Webster is willing to go right along with you in an afternoon at one of the big football games.

Wally Reid is now working in the last feature he will appear in before going east for a walk. Anna Little is acting opposite him and will continue to do so in New York. The last story these two attractive young people appeared in was "Nan of Music Mountain."

A cabaret set valued at \$50,000 and which is said to be a reproduction of the Parisian Eal Tabarin, will be incorporated in Norma Talmadge's newest picture, an adoption of Rupert Hughes' drama, "Two Women." Miss Talmadge will be supported by Edmund O'Brien, John Daly, Murphy, Ide, Barrine, Stuart Holmes and the entire chorus of the Palais Royal restaurant.

Fay Marbe, who succeeded Justine Johnstone in "Oh Boy," has heard the call of the "silences." She will be seen shortly in the Vitagraph family, playing opposite Earl Williams.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Carthage, Mo., Dec. 1, 1917.

The Janesville — Dear Mr. Editor: Thirty years or more ago I was pastor of the First Congregational church of Janesville.

I have most pleasant recollections of many of the people of the church and of the city, of which I shall not be ashamed in the other life. I remember so well the beauty of the place and recall delightful hours spent in the homes of some of my friends. I hope my memory will not entirely forget.

What heart that bit of shrapnel broke, What father or what mother brave will think of Flanders as a grave.

"The next of kin," the cable cold wastes not a precious word in telling.

Yet cannot you and I behold The sorrow in some humble dwelling,

And cannot you and I perceive The brave yet lonely mother grieve And picture when that news comes in.

The anguish of "the next of kin?" For every boy in uniform At least two soldiers brave are fighting.

A double rank the cannons storm, Two lines the cables are uniting, And with the hurt each soldier feels At home the other warrior rears.

Two suffer freedom's cause to win, The soldier, and "the next of kin."

Oh next of kin, be brave, be strong, As brave as was the boy that's missing.

The years will many be and long That you will hunger for his kissing.

Yet he enlisted you with him To share war's bitter price and grim; Your service runs through many years Because your name with his appears.

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Talk to Lowell

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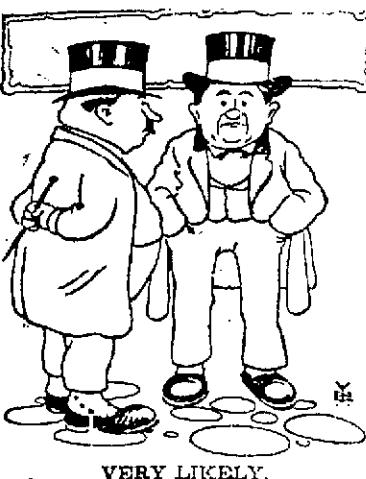
A Pointer Which Goes Directly To The Desired Location.

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letters along the other margin, and by making use of these it is quite convenient to approximately locate any town or other feature of the cartograph. Even with this it is sometimes difficult to find the desired place, and a new style of map has been designed so that being directed by the letter and figure index it is a simple matter to go right to the desired point by means of this new device.

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VERY LIKELY.

An Happ—Half the world does not

know how the other half lives!

DeGroux—think you overestimate

the number of people who mind their

own business.

MAJESTIC TONIGHT DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

"The HABIT of HAPPINESS"

A picture that contains more thrills and laughs than ANY OTHER Douglas Fairbanks film ever brought to Janesville

Adults 10c
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And 1 Cent War Tax.

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TOMORROW
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The Famous Star

JULIA SANDERSON

In Her First Great Film Production for Frohman-Mutual.

"THE RUNAWAY"

APOLLO THIS EVENING

FRANK HALL

Presents the greatest original contribution to Photo Dramatic Literature.

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First Production Since "The Barrier."

THE BAR SINISTER

IN 8 PARTS.

A Story of the Modern South. Scenario by Anthony P. Kelly. Since "Uncle Tom's Cabin" scared the conscience of the American public, there has been no such popular contribution to a broad understanding of the nation's most vital and difficult problem, as is presented by "The Bar Sinister."

Telling the dramatic story of a girl who mistakenly thinks she has colored blood in her veins and therefore she must deny herself the love of a man who adores her, this powerful photo-play is a production of unique merit and remarkable interest. It treats a delicate subject compassionately yet boldly and is dedicated to a noble purpose.

SPECIAL PRICES: MATINEE, 11c; EVENING, 15c.

MYERS THEATRE

Friday Evening, Dec. 21st

PRESENTING

The Greatest Of All War Pictures

Capt. R. Hugh Knivett

Intelligence Officer and Scout of the 15th Australian Infantry.

This thrilling young speaker just completed his fourth engagement at Orchestra Hall, Chicago.

He took New York by storm. Everyone should hear him on this most interesting of topics.

PRICES: First 12 rows, \$1.00. Balance orchestra, 75c. Entire balcony, 50c.

The box seats have been turned over to the local Red Cross who will sell them and donate the proceeds to their chapter.

Heart and Home Problems

BY ELIZABETH THOMPSON

LETTERS MAY BE ADDRESSED TO MRS. THOMPSON, IN CARE OF THE GAZETTE

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I work in an office where there are three other girls employed. I am twenty-one years of age. The assistant manager is always advising me when and what to do, as if he took an interest in me. He also does little favors for me. I have grown to like him. I am not extroverted when I am idle at all; I can't get him off my mind. He is about thirty-seven years old and his wife has been dead five or six years. Do you think I will get over this? I knit and do other things to occupy my mind, but it doesn't seem to do any good. Do you think he cares for me?

ADELE.

You can stop thinking about the assistant manager if you will. To do so you will have to put him out of your mind by force when you start thinking about him. Probably the trouble is that you are forcing yourself to think about something else your humor and interests may be letting your thoughts masterpiece them.

Find something to command your attention—a good book or an interesting study. Knitting can be done without giving it much attention and

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so your thoughts have a chance to be very active.

If the man loved you he would tell you so or at least show his interest by taking you places and calling at your home. You have no reason to presume that he cares any more for you than to train you so that you can do good work for your employer.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: (1) Is it right for a girl of sixteen to be out with her mother till midnight?

(2) Is it right for a girl of seventeen to go to parties without a chaperon?

(3) Is it right for a girl of fourteen to write to soldiers?

(4) If a man asks to take three girls home in his auto, should they go?

(5) If a girl is with her parents and a strange man asks to take all of them home, should she go?

(6) Should a girl call up and find out how a boy is when she has heard that he is sick?

INQUISITIVE BUMPS.

(1) No, it is not right.

(2) It is all right for a girl of seventeen to go to neighborhood parties without a chaperon, but not to dances and such affairs.

(3) She is too young to write to soldiers unless they are relatives.

(4) They should not go unless they know the man.

(5) If a girl is with her parents and they accept a strange man's invitation to ride with him, it is all right to go.

(6) If she and the boy are very well acquainted it would be all right to do so. She should, however, be careful not to phone at mealtime or when she thinks her call will be an annoyance.

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SIDE TALKS

—BY—
RUTH CAMERON

THE GIFT OF WANTING THINGS HARD.

A woman came to the house the other night who was very pretty but not handsome, not of remarkable figure, and yet stood out from the other women in the room. And the reason was her perfect grooming. She wore a tailored suit, a small hat, a very simple (but not mannish) blouse and she was absolutely trim from the crown of that little close hat to the low heel of her tan shoes.

She satisfied them. There were no loose ends about her anywhere. After she had gone, a younger woman who had been taking the visitor in, voiced her admiration.

"Wasn't she stunning?" she said. "Well?" said the lady who always knows-something, with an upward slant to her voice.

Answered the Upward Slant. "Oh, couldn't," said the young woman, answering the upward slant.

"Why not?" said the lady.

"I don't know," said the young woman vaguely. "She was wonderful. I'd love to be like her—but I don't think I ever could."

"Nothing but grooming," said the lady. "You could if you wanted to

hard enough."

"It isn't a matter of wanting at all," said the younger woman, "but I don't think it's in me."

She Knew Her Failing.

(She is a nice young person, charming in her way, but much given to loose ends.)

"You mean it isn't in you to want that hard," said the lady.

"Not at all," said the young woman.

But just the same, that was what she did mean.

She won't say that anything you want you can if you want it badly enough. It is the style to make those smashing over-statements in order to pound home truths. I do it myself. But I don't wholly like it. So I'll just put it that there are a great many things that you can get if you want them badly enough.

An Own Cousin of Genius.

The gift that most of us lack is the gift of wanting a few things and wanting them well.

"There's a gift," is a blood relation of the genius which is an infinite capacity for taking pains.

And almost as rare.

LETTERS OF TWO WOMEN

zoe Beckley

ON FEELING MARRIED.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

You have just about reached Call-for-letters and are beginning book 2 of your marriage. Last night Paul and I celebrated our first anniversary. So we are also starting a new chapter.

Malzie doesn't feel married. It almost startles me when somebody refers to me as a married woman. Is it a good thing, I wonder, not to "feel married"? I thought so—before I was married. I dreaded so being bound to some one for life.

And now—just lately—a tiny vague question has fluttered about, in my heart, chirping for an answer. This question seems to this: Why do we feel married? What is true marriage anyhow? What keeps marriage from being a mere partnership between a man and a woman, dissolvable at any moment without particular loss to either party or to the community?

The answer, Malzie, baffles me. I thought of your marriage. Then of mine. And of the things that make them different. You have had disillusion, tears, suffering. But not so much on the profit side of the ledger. And yet—oh, May, how can I put this in words so that you won't misunderstand?—I have the feeling that we could part at any time without leaving one permanent impress upon our work.

We each have our work and our separate interests. To be sure, we talk them over and find them of mutual concern. But after all, our work does not make us necessary to each other!

We have a home—rather a charming and nice little home, where both come at night, to help our friends and keep our cat. But each of us, separately, could have almost as nice a home! There is nothing of special performance there, nothing that we couldn't divide up with perfect ease if we went separate ways.

In a word, dear, our interests center in each other and in our work, but not in the home and all it implies—as yours do. What my friend is why you are so single married, and probably so, while I do not.

Are you happy in California, where the sun spills warm gold over everything? It is gray here, and very cold. Devotedly, KATE.

You are making a home for them and a home, dear, is a wonderful creation. The right sort of home is even more important than the right sort of

Household Hints

COLD WEATHER PUDDINGS.

Holiday Fruit Pudding (eggless)—

Cook in four cups sugar, one cup

and sifted with flour; cover tight.

These puddings will keep at least six

weeks and improve all the time. Can

be warmed up as wanted by putting

can in boiling water and boiling

twenty minutes.

Six cups flour (sifted), one pound

beef suet (chopped fine), one tea-

spoon salt, one-half pound figs, one

quarter pound citron (chopped a lit-

tle), one-half pound currants, one

pound raisins, one quart bread

crumbs.

Mix well the flour, fruit, suet,

and crumbs and to these add one

cup molasses. Dissolve one teaspoon

soda in one cup hot coffee and add

two more cups hot coffee or enough

to make a very stiff batter. Turn

into coffee cans, cover tightly, put

into boiling water. Keep boiling

for three hours. Add more boiling

water if it boils down.

Set away until ready to serve, then

reheat.

Make sauce of one-half cup butter,

two cups pulverized sugar, cream

and flavor to suit taste. Vanilla flavor

not used.

Each can of pudding will serve five

or six people.

Holiday Carrot Pudding—One-half

cup chopped suet, one and one-half

cups bread crumbs, two-thirds brown

sugar or granulated, one-half cup

sifted carrots, one-half cup raisins,

one-third cup currants, three table-

spoons flour, one very small teaspoon

sugar, one-half cup baking powder, one

cup salt, soda, cinnamon and cloves

one-half cup ground nutmeg, one-half

teaspoon salt, two eggs, ground

rind of one lemon and juice of

one-half lemon.

Remove every particle of mem-

brane from the suet and chop very

fine. Mix bread crumbs well with it.

Beat eggs until very light and beat

again with the sugar; combine with

the suet mixture. Add remaining

ingredients, mixing the spices with the

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HEALTH TALKS

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

LETTERS MAY BE ADDRESSED TO DR. BRADY, IN CARE OF THE GAZETTE

Toddle versus Coddle

Coddling is the abuse of artificial means of keeping warm. Some folks

coddle by wearing excessive clothing, particularly about the abdomen, or wherever they

imagine the "weak spot" is. Others

coddle by burning too much coal, trying

to keep the thermometer soaring above 68 degrees Fahrenheit.

Still others, the genuine mollycoddles, stay

indoors as much as possible in the vain hope of avoiding "exposure."

What is now stops coddling this year

and try toddling for a change?

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

A Heavy Blow at the B. & M. Club.

I wish to call a certain matter to

your attention. You have been advised

to join the Bread and Milk Club. Do

you consider it an unprofitable

activity? I do. I have been advised

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PETEY DINK—WHY NOT A NAPKIN RING OR SOMETHING USEFUL?



The YUKON TRAIL

A Tale of the North

By William MacLeod Raine

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"Mr. Macdonald has been telling me about my father. He knew him on Frenchman creek where they both worked claims," explained the girl.

The big mining man made no comment and added nothing to what she said. There were times when his face was about as expressive as a stone wall.

The dinner went off very well. Diane and Peter had a great many questions to ask Gordon about old friends. By the time they had been answered Macdonald was chatting easily with Sheba. She listened with glowing eyes to the strange tales this man of magnificent horizons had to tell. Never before had she come into contact with anyone like him.

Gordon was superintendent of the Lucky Strike, a mine owned principally by Macdonald. The two talked business for a few minutes over their cigars, but Diane interrupted gaily to bring them back into the circle. Adroitly she started Macdonald on the account of a rescue of two men lost in a blizzard last year before. He had the gift of dramatizing his story, of selecting only effective details. There was no suggestion of boasting. If he happened to be the hero of any of his stories the fact was of no importance to him. It was merely a detail of the picture he was sketching.

Gordon interrupted with a question a story he was telling of a fight he had seen between two bull moose.

"Did you say that was while you



"Don't Answer That Question."

office sent up to investigate the Macdonald coal claims and kindred interests."

Slowly the rigor of the big Scotsman's steady eyes relaxed to a smile that was genial and disarming. If this news hit him hard he gave no sign of it. And that it was an unexpected blow there could be no doubt.

"Glad you've come, Mr. Elliot. We ask nothing but fair play. The men who own the Macdonald group of claims have nothing to conceal. I'll answer that question. I meant to say it two years ago last spring."

His voice was easy and his gaze unwavering as he made the correction, yet everybody in the room except Sheba knew he was deliberately lying to cover the slip. For the admission that he had inspected the Kamathah field just before his dummies had lied upon it would at least tend to aggravate suspicion that the entries were not bona fide.

It was rather an awkward moment. Sheba unconsciously relieved the situation with the glad news that he was here to investigate our claims."

"But what about the big moose, Mr. Macdonald? What did it do then?"

The Alaskan went back to his story. He was talking for Sheba alone, for the young girl, with eager, fascinated eyes which flashed with sympathy as she devoured selected glimpses of his wild, turbulent career. She saw him with other eyes than Elliot's. The government official admired him tremendously. Macdonald was an empire builder. He blazed trails for others to follow in safety. But Gordon could guess how callously his path was strown with brutality, with the effects of an ethical color-blindness largely selfish, though even he did not know that the man's primitive jungle code of wolf eat wolf had played havoc with Sheba's young life many years before.

Diane, satisfied that Macdonald had scored, called upon Sheba.

"I want you to sing for us, dear, if you will."

Sheba accompanied herself. The voice of the girl had no unusual range, but it was singularly sweet and full of the poignant feeling that expresses the haunting pathos of her race.

"It's well I know you, Sheba Cross. Ye weary, story hill. An' I'm tired, och, I'm tired to be looking on ye still. For I'm on the near side an' he is on the far."

"An' all your heights and hollows are between us, so they are. Och anee!"

Gordon, as he listened, felt the strange hunger of that homesick cry strown through his blood. He saw his own emotions reflected in the face of the Scot-Canadian, who was watching with a tense interest the slim, young figure at the piano, the girl whose eyes were soft and dewy with the mysticism of her people, were still luminous with the poetry of the child in spite of the years that heralded her woman.

Elliot intercepted the triumphant sweep of Diane's glance from Macdonald to her husband. In a flash it lit

the lips of the Scotsman were like steel traps and his eyes points of steel.

"We'll cross that bridge if we come to it. Our first move is to try to win him."

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1 CROSS FOX \$65.00, NOW	\$43.34
1 TAUPE FOX, \$150.00, NOW	\$100.00
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1 SEAL, \$100.00, NOW	\$66.67
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This week we have received many new models in plain and changeable colors. We direct your attention to the new Jersey Top and Taffeta bottom, a \$5.00 value, special. \$3.95

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WRITES LETTER FROM
GEORGIA ARMY CAMPON THE SPUR
of the MOMENT

ROY E. MOULTON

THE EVOLUTION OF THINGS
MILITARISTIC

First one man invents a seige gun which can penetrate any bomb-proof dugout that was ever made.

Then some other man invents a bomb-proof dugout that the seige gun which can penetrate any bomb-proof dugout that was ever made cannot penetrate.

Then another inventor gets up a seige gun which can smash the eternal daylights out of the bomb-proof

dugout that the seige gun which can penetrate any bomb-proof dugout that was ever made cannot penetrate.

And so on ad infinitum.

If they reach the point where seige guns and bomb-proof dugouts will reach a settlement the war will end.

Loreo W. writes in that Mr. Bird L. Qualls lives in Kentucky. We hope he is fully protected by the game laws.

Are you going to a watch party this year? We went to one in New York last year and somebody got ours.

Two dead and ten wounded as a result of a fight between Bulgarian and Serb miners in the United States. War correspondents should "See America First."

Now if Brother Hoover will only start a cash conservation movement for all consumers we will be doing something. He has taught them how to save everything else.

We have often wondered why most of the heaviest fighting has been done in the Champagne district of France. But then, it has always been so in the champaign district of New York.

SAYINGS OF YE OLDEEN TIMES.

(A. D. 1913, Before the War.)

"Whenever you are out of gasoline, Hank, come over and help yourself out of the tank in my garage."

"Jabez, help Mr. Jones to some more of the roast beef."

"Bring all the kids and spend three weeks with us this fall."

"Marie, let's sit down now and plan some nice Christmas presents for your relatives."

"I'll send you a couple of dozen nice fresh eggs from my place."

"My wife always like to have company at everything in sight. It complements the cook, you know."

"I'll take you any place you say for dinner, Lucy. The best is none too good for you."

\$37,000,000.

Thirty-seven millions a day.

That's what it is costing Uncle Sam.

To carry on his part of the war.

And here is the new slogan:

"Help Uncle Sam get his money's worth."

OUR FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Money is tight today. It's a jolt that is liable to last for some time.

The Stock Exchange is running full blast. A stock exchange is a place where you go and exchange some stock that isn't worth a cent.

The news report on "Change this morning" that the United States now has no standing army to speak of. But what about the people who ride in street cars?

It is reported from the Treasury Department at Washington that penances are very scarce. Even so, they will never be as scarce as the tens and twenties.

AS TO DIGNITY OF HISTORY

Times Have Changed Since Macaulay
Criticized a Phrase Which Was
Then Much in Vugue.

Macaulay wrote: "There is a vile phrase of which bad historians are exceedingly fond, 'the dignity of history'; and he proceeded, with his usual point and force, to show that, though historians should not record trifles, it is not always easy to distinguish trifles from events of great importance.

There are trifles which are by no means trifling.

Macaulay was comparing Sir W. Temple's dispatches with the love letters which, during a seven-years' courtship, passed between him and the lady who became his wife, and he was pleading on their behalf for attention and respect.

They were, it is true, love letters, and not state papers; but love letters which betrayed the social feeling of a period.

There is no need for any such plea today.

The tendency now is to overlook what is official and grave and to hunt out the love letters, trifles, toys and trimmings of history.

SALVATION FUND
HAS WILSON O. K.

Finger Marks.

Sweet oil will remove finger marks
from varnished furniture and kerosene
from oiled furniture.

Sal Little Cowlets.

It was Anita's first trip to the country. She was particularly interested in the "mother and baby cowlets." On her return to the city she was telling one of her playmates all about the farm. "And," said she, "I saw lots of cows and the cutest little cowlets."

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**TROOPERS PROUD OF
THEIR BATTERY AS
WORK DEVELOPS**

Camp Grant, 331st Machine Gun Battalion, Dec. 19.—People are warned against the evil of being proud, but there are two kinds of pride and the kind that the men of the 331st Machine Gun battalion have developed is very pleasing. They are proud and they have good reason to be so.

Members of the battalion are taught to have pride in their organization and pride in themselves and the members of the battalion have developed both. The men are very proud of the 331st Machine Gun battalion; they are proud of their commanding officer, Major A. F. Dannemiller, and they are proud of their company commanders. It is a hobby with them to insist to men from whom they belong to and the fine officers that command the battalion.

This quality of pride is not to be shamed and should be developed by everyone. They men are proud of themselves; they think they are just a little better soldiers than any other men in the camp, and they have reason to be so. The 331st Machine Gun battalion is one of the crack battalions of the eighty-sixth division and the men who comprise the battalion are proud of this fact.

They do not go around the camp with an air of importance but do stroll around with their heads high, and are forever telling people they are members of the 331st Machine Gun battalion, one of the finest organizations in Camp Grant. This is the spirit that wins, and an organization that has not the backing of the men in it is a very poor combination.

Everywhere a person goes in the camp he will hear of the qualities of the 331st Machine Gun battalion. The men have helped to develop a great organization under the careful direction of Major A. F. Dannemiller. Major Dannemiller is just as proud of the men of the battalion. He has a fine battalion and has just cause for being full of pride. The men have developed pride in themselves and are always working out ways of improving themselves, and they all claim that when the call comes for them to go "over there" they will march away with a feeling that they are better than any other battalion in the camp. The men are all sure that after this world's war is over and they have returned with a victory, they will return with a proud gait, knowing that their battalion made a record that would cause any man to be proud. They know that the 331st Machine Gun battalion is going to make a name for itself and one that will go down in history as one of the finest organizations ever developed in the United States army.

Supply Sergeant Raymond Gallaher, Mess Sergeant John Hendrikson and First Class Private Thomas Farrel entertained visitors in the company hall on Friday afternoon. The young couples spent a very enjoyable afternoon playing the piano and dancing. During the afternoon fudges were served, and the young ladies partook of the regular government supper, and all seemed to enjoy it very much.

Private Cyrus Montgomery of Evansville is making another trip home this week. Cy claims that he is going on business, but by the smile he has been wearing for the past few days the men think that he is going to mix pleasure with business. Cy's motto is: "If business interferes with your pleasure, give up your business."

Sergeant Frank Byrne states that he is very sorry the cycle he has in already is now contemplation several trips to the city; but during the past week it has been too cold a venture out of the barracks at night.

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Owing to the severe cold weather Sunday there were very few visitors to the 331st Machine Gun battalion. It was the quietest Sunday the men have spent since entering camp. With the thermometer hovering around five below zero it was hard to stand. The cold did not bother the men at all and all of them enjoyed a very pleasant day. Dancing was the main diversion of the day, and although the members of the fair sex were greatly outnumbered all enjoyed themselves immensely. Members of the 331st Machine Gun battalion did not expect visitors and were not disappointed. They all spent a very enjoyable day. Some of them ventured to the city, others played games and the musically inclined contented themselves with ragtime.

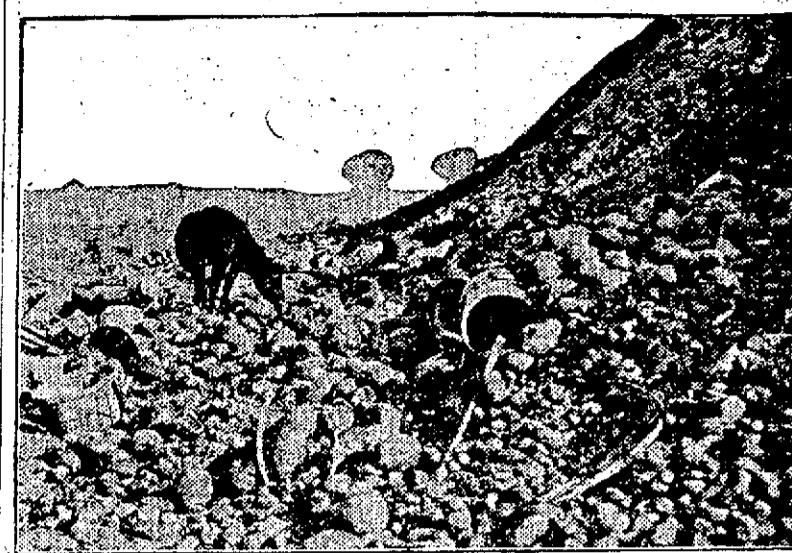
The 331st Machine Gun battalion's newly organized band is practicing four hours every day and has already given two public concerts. The band has developed wonderfully under the

Conserve the Nation's Food

NEEDLESS WASTE OF FOOD A CRIME

By P. G. HOLDEN.

URING October and November thousands of pounds of potatoes and other vegetables were dumped from railroad cars along the tracks near West Chicago. It is reported that these vegetables spoiled in transit or before shipment. Wagon loads were carted away by hucksters and others and sold or taken home, but the vegetables saved were but a small portion of the whole.



Immense Pile of Potatoes, Squash and Other Vegetables Thrown In Dump.

There may be a question as to whether any of these vegetables were fit for human food at the time they were thrown away, but it is certain that all of them were at one time good; and that carelessness of someone caused them to spoil. It is equally certain that most of this produce could have been utilized as animal food or converted into glycerine, of which there is now a serious need.

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Tobin, who will accompany her home to remain two months. She will do so about entering the aviation corps.

Frank Holmes of Elkhorn, was a visitor here Monday.

The membership of the Red Cross is increasing rapidly and the big thermometer this morning shows 1,100. Mrs. Thomas Sauer was called to Rio yesterday to attend the funeral of her sister.

Edgerton News

Edgerton, Dec. 19.—Hon. H. L. White, who recently came from Waco, Texas, where he has been with the Governor and party on a visit to the Wisconsin troops located there. In all there are 30,000 troops now located at Waco from Minnesota, Michigan and Wisconsin. The Wisconsin Red Cross have failed to supply their troops with sweaters while the other troops located there have been amply supplied. However the Red Cross Edgerton have been supplied with the exception of one or two. The Edgerton boys all voice their praise of Captain Caldwell, Lieut. Wood and their other officers and are well pleased with rations and quarters in general.

Almost all of the men have gained weight and are looking fine.

Mr. Whitten brought home the report from camp that Hixon Knapp had failed to pass his final examination physically and that he would be home soon.

He was with the signal corps.

He also stated that the boys will be moved from Waco shortly, their destination

unknown. A very pleasant trip was

experienced by the party.

The ladies in charge of the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals have sold over \$50,000 worth of stamps at the post office where they have a counter where the stamps are sold. The committees in charge of the sale of the stamps are not soliciting this year.

The stamps can be purchased at any of the stores or the banks.

With so many solicitations that have been made in the past few weeks the sale of these stamps has been entirely satisfactory to the ladies in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Crandall celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary yesterday at their home on South Main street. Only immediate members of the family were present.

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WAR SAVING TO BE
A SUCCESS IN CITY

More Than \$1,000 of War Certificates
Have Been Sold in This Post
Office District.

More than \$1,000 of war savings
certificates and three stamps have
been sold in the post office to date. This
is an exceptionally good showing of
the spirit and business sagacity of the
people of Janesville. The sale of
thrift stamps is not yet in full swing
as the sales organization has not been
perfected, but Postmaster J. J. Cunningham
is of the opinion that by
January first the organization will be
complete and the sale of thrift stamps
will be increased manifold.

In regard to the sale of war
certificates, Postmaster Cunningham
said: "The sale of stamps is going
very fast now. It is going better than
we expected and it shows clearly that
the people are back of the government
and that they understand the value of
thrift stamps. The number of war
stamps sold is about evenly divided
between the mail carriers and the
people. In number there have been more
war stamps sold than war certificates.
Only a number of persons
have already bought in their sixteen
war certificates. I think the sale of war
stamps and war certificates will be a
big success in Janesville."

The Postmaster is now getting in
touch with the teachers of the high
and grade schools, the country
schools, fraternal organizations and
churches. Several churches have
begun the sale of war stamps and
relatives have preached war saving from
the pulpit. The postmaster also said
that all of the local banks have not
entered into the sale of war stamps
as yet.

In the future war savings stamps
and war certificates will be sold at
all banks, at the schools, churches,
fraternal and wherever anything is
done. It is said that even the grocery
stores will sell them.

Most Important Duty.

"You have not fulfilled every duty
unless you have fulfilled that of being
pleasant."—Charles Buxton.

BOSSSES MOVING OF
OUR BOYS ABROAD

W. W. Atterbury.

William Wallace Atterbury, just
appointed director of transportation of
the American expeditionary forces in
France, is regarded as one of the
best practical railroad administrators in the United States. In sixteen
years he rose from an apprenticeship
to general manager of the Pennsylvania Lines.

RETURN GAME WILL
BE STAGED SATURDAY

Rockford Methodist Church Five Will
Be Recipients of Return Game
on Saturday.

Saturday the local basketball quintet will play a return game with the Court Street Methodist church five. Rockford will defeat the Rockford quintet a defeat similar to the one they received at the local M. C. A. on December 10. On Thursday evening the invading team will meet with a strong scrub team at the Y. M. C. A. for some stiff practice. The locals are rounding up in excellent shape for the Rockford game.

Wednesday, December 26, the local basketball quintet will meet the crack team of the Rockford industrial league at the Janesville Y. M. C. A. The names of the crack five of Rockford are not available at this time, but the local five are not the least bit particular who they have to crack up after they have finished cracking the Court street Methodist five.

Tomorrow night is open basketball night at the Y. M. C. A. and all senior members are invited to get into the fray.

How to Win a Friend.

The man who can love the truth that
hits him also can love the enemy that
hates him. Thus he may eventually
win another friend.

Bargains in almost every line are
to be found daily in the classified
columns.

WOMAN MAKES
SWEDEN FRIENDLY

Mrs. Ira Nelson Morris.

King Gustave at a recent city club
banquet in Stockholm expressed deep
appreciation of the work among children,
who are undernourished because of food shortage, being done
by Mrs. Ira Nelson Morris, wife of
the Chicagoan who is U. S. minister
to Sweden.

Complete Line Parisian
Ivory Goods

TOILET AND MANICURE SETS, TRAYS, COMBS, BRUSHES,
BUFFERS, KNIVES, CLOCKS, FRAMES, ETC.
AT THE LOWEST PRICES
OPEN NIGHTS.

SUTHERLAND'S

GIFTS of
JEWELRY
ARE LASTING

A shopping trip is not complete without a visit to Fatzinger's. Here, all tastefully displayed, you will find the prettiest jewelry stock imaginable.

You can find what you want for every member of the family at this store, and everyone will appreciate it the more if it comes from Fatzinger's.

SUGGESTIONS:

DIAMONDS WATCHES CHAINS LOCKETS
LA VALLIERES BRACELETS RINGS BROOCHES
IVORY SETS TOILET SETS JEWEL CASES
CLOCKS KNIVES SILVERWARE
SCARF PINS PARKER FOUNTAIN PENS
CUFF BUTTONS

An especially fine showing of Bracelet Watches and Rings.
And everything you would expect to find in any first class
jewelry establishment.

GEO. E. FATZINGER

Jeweler

9 So.

Franklin St.

Next
to the P. O.WORLD RED CROSS
GETS PEACE PRIZEWORK OF THE
CONTINUATION SCHOOL

A school without books is an unique
institution of our city, about which
very little is known by the general
public. The continuation school for
day pupils was established about
three years ago, and is composed
mostly of the larger boys and girls
of the grades who didn't seem to fit
into their work. Perhaps they had
been sick and fallen behind in their
studies. Or perhaps they were dis-
couraged and inattentive and did not
care, so they did not keep up to their
grades. The work of the continuation
school is to give individual care
to the pupils, so as to find out their
strong points, and try to arouse their
interest along these lines. The
academic work of the teachers is to pre-
sent a few facts to the pupils, arouse
their interest along these lines, and
discuss the facts at home. For instance,
on yesterday morning a class was
given an oral lesson on South America,
with a blackboard talk on sea-
ports, products of the country and
principal cities. Later they were
shown a series of lantern pictures,
which were scenes of many of the
places talked about. There are about
20 of the girls in the all day classes,
and about 70 of the boys. The num-
ber of the latter varies, as the boys
get a job, and then come for only part
time. The boys are divided into three
groups for work, and tried out with
different kinds of shop experiences.
Machine work, wood working, carpenter
work and automobile repairing all
have its devotees. Typewriting,
telegraphy and a business training is
one of the possibilities of the am-
bitious boy. It is a fitting process
and one which by arousing pride and
ambition to amount to something in
the world will be a preventive factor
in civic affairs. The experience has
been that if a pupil can afford only
one year after the grades, before he
is to take up work, then he can accom-
plish more in the continuation
school than in the high as they do
not have to take so many of the pure-
ly literary studies. This last week
the school nurse, Miss Meta Albers,
has been making a survey of the
pupils, and listing the defects found
among them. She has also been giving
demonstrations on personal hy-
giene, showing the boys and girls how
to brush the teeth, and how to sham-
poo the hair. Many little helpful
hints were given in a pleasant way
in regard to personal cleanliness. The
domestic science teacher, Miss
Thatcher, has been giving economic
and related suitable for winter time
Christmas, and is planning to have
the girls make popcorn balls for a
Christmas treat, instead of the cus-
tomy candy. The boys and girls
who are working and are from 14 to
16 years of age are obliged to come
to school for eight hours a week.
This seems very short time but
taken throughout the year means
months of schooling. And it is stim-
ulating in that it gives a chance for
development in favorite pursuits. The

beginnings of cookery, sewing or type-
writing may lead later to taking spe-
cial training along these lines. The
evening school has opportunities to fit
oneself for business college, and the
shop work for special training along
technical lines. The class is es-
pecially interesting at this time as
it is a class of young married women whose
husbands are of the draft age and
are liable to be called for service.
They are taking shorthand, type-
writing and telegraphy, so that when
their husbands are called they may
help supporting these women are
free and the woman can come in for
them in the afternoon. The whole
province of this school is unusual in
educational matters, and is certainly
doing a wonderful work. Prof. Hill
may well be proud of what the school
is accomplishing, and of his splendid
corps of teachers, who are co-operating
with him in the work. It would

BIBLE PICTURE QUIZ—92

Who Was the First Man Mentioned in
the Bible as Being Stoned to Death?



Curious and Unusual Bible Questions

Look at the picture above, then turn to your Bible
and find the answer to the question. The picture illus-
trates the verse in which the answer will be found.

Each week we will publish an illustrated question
from the Bible and the following week publish the an-
swer. See if you can find the answer before we publish it!

Make a family pastime of this interesting fea-
ture—it will amuse and instruct you.

Last Week's Question and the Answer

Last week's query: "Who was the first hunter men-
tioned in the Bible?" This is answered in Genesis,
Chapter 10, Verse 9:

"He was a mighty hunter before the Lord:
wherefore it is said, Even as Nimrod the mighty
hunter before the Lord."

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be encouraging to them and helpful
to the pupils if occasionally some of
the public-spirited men and women
of the city would give an interesting
talk to the children in matters of
current interest. On Thursday eve-
ning the club women of the city is to talk
before them on "Christmas Among
the Indians." It will be illustrated by
post cards and a collection of Indian
pottery, baskets and blankets.

Some kind of a Christmas party
will be given to close the session of
school before the holidays, either on
Friday or Saturday.

Remembered His Dogs.

A Venetian once left 60,000 florins
for the maintenance of his three dogs.

Get rid of surplus articles about
the house by means of a little class-
ified ad.

Coins Wear Away.

By mere waste, caused by coins rub-
bing one against another, the civilized
world loses one ton and a quarter of
gold and 85 tons of silver annually.

How Times Have Changed.

Wardrobe Mistress to boggeman
Yes! Times have changed, Bill.
I remember when we had a dozen large
trunks for the chorus girls' costumes;
now we only need that one.—Cassell's
Saturday Journal.

Nature of the Heart

There never was any heart truly
great and gracious, that was not also
tender and compassionate.—South.

Appropriate
Gift
Articles

Hundreds of beautiful gift arti-
cles are displayed throughout
our store, each the best of its
kind at the price asked for it.
Now, before the rush starts, is
the ideal time to do your shop-
ping, early in the day, is to your
advantage. From the cheapest
to the highest priced article in
the store, the prices are very
reasonable considering the qual-
ity of the merchandise.

FUR CAPS
NINETY CAPS
FOR MEN
OF BOYS
HOSIERY
SUSPEN-
DERS
HOCKEY
CAPS
UMBRELLAS
BISCUIT
SWEEP-
ERS
SMOKING
SETS
WHITE
IVORY
NOVEL-
TIES
BED SPREADS
COMFORTABLES
DRESS SHIRTS
FLANNEL SHIRTS
LEATHER MITTENS OR
GAUNTETS
SWEATER COATS
LADIES' HAND PURSES
TROUSERS
CHILDRENS DOLLS
IRON TOYS
ANIMAL TOYS
TOY DISHES
MILITARY SETS
COMB AND BRUSH SETS
MANICURE SETS.



Shop Now. Store Open Evenings.
HALL & HUEBEL, 105 West
Milw. St.



Hinterschied's is Toyland

You Certainly Never Saw So Many Toys In One
Place In This City In Your Life

Toys, Toys and Toys! Great numbers of them, all displayed so that you can select them
easily and our wide aisles make shopping here a pleasure. No crowding and
pushing, but every one shops in comfort.

By All Means Visit Hinterschied's For Gift Purchases

Shoofly Rocking Horses

Oil finish, natural wood, stripped and ornamented, printed
mane and saddle 75c
White Enamelled Horses, printed mane, saddle, etc. on both
sides, hair tail, cretonne upholstered seat and back, red
painted rocker \$1.25

Naval War Toy

SUBMARINES AND DREADNAUGHTS
A most exciting and interesting toy, harmless amusement
for young and old 50c

Doll Cabs

All of closely hand woven fibre reed, natural color and gray
bodies, well upholstered and full reed adjustable hoods,
at \$1.25 to \$7.50

Dolls! Dolls!! Dolls!!!

A wonderful selection of character, novelty, sleeping eye
and baby dolls 25c to \$4.50

XMAS CANDIES

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO SCHOOL AND CHURCH OR DEERS.

Santa Claus Mixture, 8 oz.	10c
Peanut Brittle, 8 oz.	10c
French Creams (A sugar candy).	Peanut Squares.
Chocolate Fudge, 8 oz.	10c
Cocoanut Fudge.	
Peanut Frappe, 8 oz.	10c
White Iced Fudge.	Vanilla Fudge.
Butter Scotch Wafers.	
Tutti Frutti Cocoanut Squares, 8 oz.	10c
Snow Flake Marshmallows.	Boston Baked Beans.
Sugar Hearts.	Cocoanut Squares.
After Dinner Mints, 8 oz.	10c
Iced Cocoanut Squares.	Lemon Drops.

Jelly Beans.

Jap Cocoanut Squares, 8 oz. 10c

Butter Cups.

Cocoanut Bon Bons.

Gum Drops.

Folding Candy Boxes, 2 for

5c

Fancy Candy Boxes,

5c and 10c

Extra Fine Chocolates

VANILLA FLAVOR. MAPLE FLAVOR.

STRAWBERRY FLAVOR.

CHOCOLATE WAFERS.

WHIPPED CREAM CHOCOLATES.

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The Gazette reserves the right to classify ads according to its own rules and regulations.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS when it is more convenient to do so. The bill will be mailed to you and as this is an account you will be charged the amount you expect to receive on receipt of bill.

Persons whose names do not appear in either the City Directory or Telephone Directory must send cash with their advertisements.

BOTH PHONES 77.

SPECIAL NOTICES

ALWAYS
When you think of ? ? ? ? think of C. P. Beers.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—To whom it may concern: My wife having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any debt contracted by her after December 14th, unless on written order signed by myself. Mr. Clyde E. Smith.

LOST AND FOUND

AUTOMOBILE CASING & RIM.—Lost Saturday between N. C. Howard's farm and Janesville. Case for Grant car. Call R. C. phone 83X and receive reward.

ATTEN.—Lost brown mitten. White fur lined; between W. Bluff and Rawlin on Chatham St. Leave at Gazette or Mrs. W. M. Powell, 302 N. Pine street. Receive reward.

PACKAGE Of dry goods found. Owner can call at 320 S. Academy St. and pay for this ad.

PEEN.—Lost black fountain pen between N. Vista Ave and High School. Finder leave at High School. Reward.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

SECOND GIRL.—Day women; housekeepers, hotels. Mrs. E. McCarthy, Licensed Agent. Both Phones.

STENOGRAPIER.—We have a permanent position to offer a strictly first class stenographer. To avoid unnecessary correspondence applicant should state age, experience, etc., in first letter. Milwaukee Iron Range Co., Beaver Dam Wis.

MALE HELP WANTED

MANAGER.—For Rock and Walworth counties for the Bankers Life Ins. Co. Must be a producer. Renewals and good contracts given to right man. Address H. G. P. Gazette.

ROOMS FOR RENT

JACKSON ST. N. 11.—Large furnished heated rooms suitable for 2 or 3, with use of small kitchen.

LIVESTOCK AND VEHICLES

BOARS.—Few young boars sired by Smooth King, Great Wands 2 and Big Jumbo duds, strictly big type. C. S. Maltby, Janesville, Bell phone 640.

BOARS.—Two full blooded Duroc Jersey boars, reasonably priced. Frank White, Rte. 1, Janesville.

BULLS.—Durham bulls, 7 to 8 months old. Good stock. Breeding taken this month. W. W. Day, Janesville.

BULLS.—6 to 12 month Short Horn bulls. Jas. Campion, Rte. 13 Milton Jet.

CUTTER.—and buggy, milk wagon and sled. All in good condition. G. Dusik Glob Works, N. Main St.

CUTTER.—Portland, plus lined. First class condition. Reasonable if taken at once. R. C. phone 44. Residence 121 Jefferson Ave.

DOGS.—A new stock of full blood Chester White stock hogs. Wm. H. Wright, Edgerton, Wisconsin. Phone 248 P.M.

SHIRELAND PONY.—Cheap. C. J. Stoney, Avalon. R. C. phone 5568-X.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE
CANARY BIRDS.—Extra fine \$6.00 per pair. Call Bell phone 1577.

CANARIES.—A few Hart Mountain nightingale canaries. Beautiful birds at reasonable prices. Guaranteed singers. 252 South Franklin St.

CANARIES.—Special this week only. One canary singers prices \$7 up. 625 W. Milwaukee St.

ROCK COUNTY MAP.—Size 22x254, printed on strong bond paper. Price 25c. Free with year's advance subscription to Daily Gazette.

SAFE.—One large Deford Safe in good shape. E. T. Fish.

STER.—Good, inquire at Bakers Bazaar Shop, N. Main St.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
CORNET.—High grade instrument Lyon and Healy make. Bell phone 589.

PIANO.—One good used piano for rent or sale. One special scholarship of music good for two years course; worth \$80.00, goes with this piano. \$35.00 buys the piano on terms to suit the customer. H. F. Nott, 318 W. Milwaukee St.

WALKING MACHINE.—\$125.00 talking machine for \$85.00. This is a special Christmas bargain, and will make an extraordinary good present. Call and see it. B. W. Kuhlow, Opp. Court House park.

MACHINERY AND TOOLS

AY. BALER.—For sale, one 18x22 John Deere hay baler with 8-horse power engine mounted. H. P. Ratlow & Co., Tiffany, Wis.

NITSCHER IMPLEMENT CO.

TRACTORS.—One 20-35 Avery Tractor; 1 25-50 Avery Tractor; 1 S. H. P. Portable Engine; two second hand belt-driven Separators. Call and see them.

NITSCHER IMPLEMENT CO.
26 N. Bluff St.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
AIA VEAR RANGE.—There is no finer present for Christmas than an AIA Vear Range. They will burn coal or gas, just the thing for your wife. Call and inspect our line. Frank Douglass, dealer in hardware and novelties. 15-17 S. River St.

DOUBLE YOUR SALARY

Read The Gazette Classified Ads each and every day and for yourself pick out the best bargains that are offered.

You can buy most anything you may need from The Gazette advertisers and in many cases buy for the dollar what heretofore had cost you double that amount.

In The Gazette Classified Ad columns each day you will find in a very few minutes where you can save a dollar, or better still, probably make a hundred. Telephone your Classified Ad to The Gazette. Phone 77.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

(Continued)

CHAIRS.—Set of good oak dining room chairs, walnut bed, set of encyclopedia 20 volumes, Mark Twain set of Washington Irving works. Books all new. 109 S. Main St.

COOK STOVE.—For poor family; unable to pay for same. Telephone Gazette Office.

FURNACE PIPE.—Galvanized furnace pipe, 12 feet of 10-inch; 6 feet of 8-inch, and one 10-inch elbow. Price 10c per foot at Gazette Office.

SPRINGS.—Just received a lot of new springs, all sizes, will sell them right. Call Janesville Housewrecking Co., 56 S. River St.

SPECIALS AT THE SHOPS

FLASH LIGHT.—How would you like an Ever Ready Flash light. One Minute washing machine. Perfection Oil heater or Vacuum Sweeper. Make good Christmas presents. Talk to Lowell, 109 W. Milwaukee St.

FLORIST.—Winter wreaths now ready. Mrs. Rathen.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

The time to buy your harness is now. Take my advice, the price of leather is steadily advancing and there will be another advance after Jan. 1st, therefore the only way to secure a harness cheap is to BUY NOW. I have a \$4.00 breaching harness which is absolutely guaranteed and call me at Frank Sader's. The Farmers' Friend, Court St. Bridge.

THERMOMETER.—We have just received a complete line of thermometer. All prices. Call early and get first choice. Frank Douglas Practical hardware, 15-17 S. River St.

TYPEWRITER.—Let us solve your problem. Don't throw away money on foolish presents. Buy your wife, sister or children a typewriter. Let us talk it over with you. A typewriter for every purpose. Remington Typewriter Company, Harry E. Wemple, 17 S. Main St. Janesville, Wis. Bell phone 179.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

CENTRAL WISCONSIN.—Do business direct with the owner and save commission: 120 acres in Central Wisconsin; fine house, near barn, granary, machine shed and two good wells; just 3 miles from town, 90 acres under cultivation with 1000 feet of creek. Will exchange for city of Janesville on or before January 31st, 1918, or the same will be collected at the cost and expense to the persons liable for the payment of said taxes.

DATED December 18th, 1917.

BY THE COURT: CHARLES L. FIFIELD, County Judge.

Geo. G. Sutherland, Attorney for Executrix.

LOTS FOR SALE

PALM ST. NO. 204, Washington St., 719, corner Mineral & Palm Sts. Three beautiful lots for sale; small parcels down, \$1 per week. Wm. Felt, Rte. 2, Rockford, Ill.

MONUMENTS

JANESVILLE MONUMENT CO.—Opp. P. O. Largest stock in county. Work guaranteed.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

TROCO.—A Nut-Made Butter; made from Cocoanuts at the price of animal Fat-Made Oleomargarine. This is made from delicious nutmeat which you use in shredded form on cake. It is churned with milk to give it butter flavor. A capsule of butter color comes in every carton.

We assure you trial of this delicious butter and you will never with any other kind. O. D. Bates, 40 S. Main St. Both Phones.

CLEANERS AND DYERS

ASHES removed, sand and gravel delivered. Henry Kayler, both phones.

DRY CLEANING.—Pressing, excellent work. Badger Dye Works, Louis Kersel, Prop.

AUCTION DIRECTORY

Published FREE by the Gazette For The Benefit of Our Readers. Dec. 20.—Clarence Roberts, 4 miles northwest of Evansville, D. F. Finnane, auctioneer.

TEAMING.—By day or hour. Ashes and refuse removed. C. A. La Sure, Bell phone 2063.

TRANSFER LINE CHAS OSSMANN.—Two trucks at your service. Phones R. C. 560; Bell, 629.

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MACHINERY AND TOOLS

AY. BALER.—For sale, one 18x22 John Deere hay baler with 8-horse power engine mounted. H. P. Ratlow & Co., Tiffany, Wis.

NITSCHER IMPLEMENT CO.

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Scissors, knives, skates, saws and razors sharpened. Excellent work. Wm. Ballantine, 122 Corn Exchange.

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AIA VEAR RANGE.—There is no finer present for Christmas than an AIA Vear Range. They will burn coal or

gas, just the thing for your wife. Call and inspect our line. Frank Douglass, dealer in hardware and novelties. 15-17 S. River St.

WALWORTH

Walworth, Dec. 17.—Alfred Sipperly, aged 63 years, met his death on Sunday night at his home here by accidentally setting fire to his house, and doubtless was overcome by smoke. He was found near the door by one of his sons who detected smoke. The funeral was held from the S. D. E. church on Tuesday. His brother, Lawrence Sipperly of Woodstock, was present at the funeral. Burial in village cemetery.

Mrs. E. J. Booth entertained on Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. E. Tyler.

J. E. Tyler made a business trip to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Earle Biglow and mother of Sharon were shopping here Friday.

Mrs. J. L. Bonney was shopping in Harvard Saturday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Harness, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruth Rodman, left for their home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Robar has been numbered among the sick.

The following officers were elected at the O. E. S. Thursday night: W. P. E. Booth, W. M. Grace, Richard Con. E. L. Larkey, A. C. Hollie Con. Ethel Larkey, Mrs. Maud Albertha

HOOVER MAKES REPLY TO SUGAR INTERESTS

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Dec. 19.—Through Food Administrator Magnus Swenson Herbert Hoover today, in the following telegram conveyed his answer to a cent attack made by Mr. Spreckels Sugar Company, California, upon the food administration, to the people of Wisconsin:

"Anything I have to say in Mr. Spreckels' statements will be said in due time to the committee. It does not require no proof from me to establish that Mr. Spreckels, a leading sugar trust, is more in the food administration and would like to see it destroyed. I realize that Mr. Spreckels' balance sheet will not look so good next year as last for refiners' profits have been regulated. Furthermore, his balance sheet will not look so good before this year if the price of last August had not been reduced and held fast in the face of a partial shortage that promised a fair opportunity for thirty cent sugar and much increased profits.

"Mr. Spreckels, therefore, has reason to feel badly; there are other citizens who will tell the same way and no doubt can entice the public by appealing to their longstanding bitterness.

"While many feel badly still the vast majority of men and women of our business community and of our farmers are sacrificing their profits daily to the nation's necessities without complaint for many a year, facing more than most their sons."

"We have had two months of partial sugar shortage, October and November, and will also have December before relief from the new crop. The American people have had five hundred thousand tons of sugar in these two months. This is seventy per cent of their normal supplies. In each month we have been compelled to give up twenty per cent in December.

Owing to the car shortages the shortage has been most acute in the northeast and about 200 cars are today blocked from that region. This seventy per cent is twice the French ration. In the meantime we have

given France a good part of the thirty per cent and are proud of it. This supply to France was given deliberately and the American people were told of it at the time. We have also to draw ten thousand tons to our friends in Canada. I have yet to meet an American citizen who would not be pleased to do this."

As to the food administration stopping the sources of supply, the fact that all available supplies have been brought here that ships and cars could bring and that it has already been eaten is sufficient answer.

Mr. Spreckels knows the bitterness of the ten year fight between producers and refiners and between different refiners and if he looks back over the last three months he will observe a desire of many of these elements to use the food administration as a club to settle their longstanding bitterness.

Mr. Spreckels will tell us there is no longer today any that ships can be obtained to carry or cars can be obtained to deliver it will be delivered at once with the same resolution that we have requisitioned or distributed over 60,000,000 pounds of embargoed sugar since October first. In the meantime the 500,000 tons of sugar that have been in storage as cheese out of the moon unless we wish to make bread ships from our own soldiers and the allies to provide ourselves with candy."

TO PLAN WORK FOR
YEAR AT MEETING

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Dec. 19.—Plans for the work of the coming year will be outlined at a special meeting of the board of directors of the Wisconsin branch of the American Legion on Dec. 28. Pittsmore, Omro, the newly elected president of the organization has been prominently identified with several movements in this state for the reduction of freight rates and the modification of freight rate schedules.

Duties of Criticism.

Justly to discriminate, firmly to establish wisely to prescribe, and honestly to award—these are the true aims and duties of criticism.—Simms.

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Special lot of Haviland plates worth up to \$2.50, choice
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Ball Bearing Wringers
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Pocket Knives
Razors
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DISCUSS PLANS TO SUPPLY THE NEEDS

The Associated Charities Arrange for
Christmas Baskets for Many
Homes.

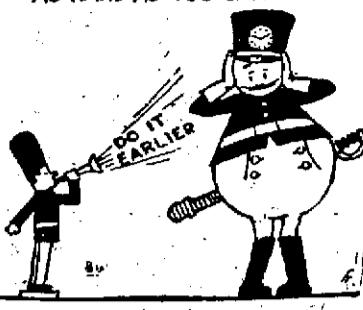
(By Mrs. Abbie Helms.)
"Help fill the Christmas pack of Santa Claus" was the plea sent out by the Associated Charities yesterday after the meeting held in the city hall. About sixty families to provide with a dinner on the outlook were present. Of these about ten are spoken for. Several people have offered to provide a dinner for a family, and some of the clubs are doing the same. The churches are doing something also in providing for their needy, and the Salvation Army is planning to assist in the work also. The lists are carefully made and divided among the different forces so there will be no duplication of gifts. The Elks with their customary generosity are supplying many of the things needed, large quantities having been purchased for this purpose. Mr. Fred Green is head of the committee having this made in charge. The Santa Claus visitors of each ward are making personal visits to end out the things most needed in the several families. Prices are so much higher this year that some of the things ordinarily put into the baskets are left out. At the best, it will cost about \$2.50 for each basket. Most of the families supplied are those of widows with children. Sometimes, by sickness or other reasons, a family gets behind even if the breadwinner is living. There are several sick people on the lists who appreciate little delicacies and who have but little sunshine in their lives. Good, warm clothing, and shoes for the children are some of the things that make a happy Christmas for them. Donations of money can be left at the Gazette office or with Father Williamson for this Christmas fund, and it will be carefully expended under the direction of the Associated Charities. The thought was expressed at the meeting held on yesterday that we must keep the "home fires burning" in spite of extra demands made upon us by war time conditions. The poor, the sick and the little children need this Christmas cheer, perhaps more at this time than ever before. The high prices prevailing has caused the pinch of poverty to be felt by more families than ever before, and only the barest necessities of life are possible with many of them. The Associated workers plan to meet at the Gazette office Saturday forenoon to complete their arrangements.

A Little Mixed.

Evelyn, who was talking to her grandmother, who had come to visit her, saw her grandfather coming and, running to the head of the stairs, she cried: "Come right up, dranga, your dranga's up here."

GEN. DEWIT EARLY, WE SEE

LITTLE BOY BLUE
COME BLOW YOUR HORN,
TO TELL ALL THE SHOPPERS
TO SHOP IN THE MORNING.
THERE HAVE BEEN TARDY SHOPPERS
SINCE SHOPPING BEGAN,
SO TOOT YOUR OLD BUGLE
AS HARD AS YOU CAN.



Read the Want Ads.

FRENCH OFFICERS DRILL YANKEES IN MACHINE GUN FIRE



American boys learning the latest tricks on the machine guns.

Not far behind the front line trenches in France the American soldiers are being prepared for their first battle over the top. French officers are busy instructing them in the methods that the allies have found most successful. A recent official French photo shows a machine gun squad at its daily lesson.

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Morning if
Possible

Goods Purchased
Now Will Be
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Choose Now! Don't Wait! Don't Delay!

Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine Blouses

Hundreds of exquisite Blouses, selected specially for our Xmas assortment, models that will be a delight to any woman who likes distinctive dress.

Cluny Dresser Scarf, 20 x 45 inch at \$3.50

Beautiful Persian Bath Rug, special value, only \$2.50

Embroidered Pillow Cases, per pair \$1.65

Large Size All Linen Embroidered Damask Towel at \$1.25

Handsome Georgette Crepe Blouse at \$6.00

Knit Slippers in a big assortment of colors, per pair \$1.00

Boudoir Cap in many pretty styles at \$5.00

All Linen Table Cloth with Napkins to match at \$8.75

Japanese Hand Embroidered Crepe Kimonos only \$2.25

Dainty Silk Evelope Chemise, beautifully trimmed at \$2.50

Women's Beacon Blanket Bath Robe, only \$3.50

Women's Tailor Made Suit, \$25.00 value at only \$12.50

Women's or Misses' Good Heavy Winter Coat at \$14.75

Beautiful Hand Bag of Real Seal or Morocco at \$3.50

One Pair of Phoenix Silk Hosiery, any shade, at \$1.25

Men's All Silk Hose in colors or black, per pair \$1.00

Women's Heavy All Wool Sweater at \$5.00

Handsome Cedar Chest, on our second floor, at \$9.75

Satin Marseilles Bed Spread with bolster to match at \$6.75

Beautiful Tea Apron, trimmed in lace and ribbon, at 75c

Women's All Silk Petticoat, any shade, at \$6.50

Crepe de Chine Blouses at \$3.75 to \$6.00

Georgette Crepe Blouses from \$5.00 to \$14.00

Give Her a Silk Petticoat For Christmas

WONDERFUL ASSORTMENT TO CHOOSE FROM.
PRICE RANGE FROM \$3.50 TO \$8.00

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Women's Plain All Linen Handkerchiefs at 12½c to 35c

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Women's All Linen Hemstitched colored border Handkerchiefs 50c to 85c

Women's Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs at 35c to 85c

Women's All Linen Initial Handkerchiefs 20c to 35c

Men's All Linen Handkerchiefs at 20c to 85c

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs at 15c to 35c

Men's Khaki Handkerchiefs at 12½c to 25c

Children's Handkerchiefs at 10c and 15c

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Very Special

Second Floor

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HOSIERY FOR CHRISTMAS

WHAT COULD BE NICER THAN SILK HOSIERY?

Women's Thread Silk Boot Hose in black, white and colors, pair 65c to 75c.

Women's Phoenix Thread Silk Hose, all colors, per pair 90c

Women's Thread Silk Hose, all colors, per pair \$1.25

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Women's Silk Hose in fancy plaids and stripes, all colors, per pair \$1.25 to \$1.75.

Women's Out Size Silk Hose, per pair \$1.25 to \$1.50

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